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In re Patent Application of) Box ISSUE FEE
Steven W. Trovinger) Allowed: April 29, 2005
Application No.: 10/084,459) Group Art Unit: 3721
Filed: February 28, 2002) Examiner: Sameh Tawfik
For: SYSTEM FOR HANDLING) Confirmation No.: 4978
FOLDED SHEET MATERIAL)

COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

An Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance accompanied the Notice of Allowability recently issued in connection with the above-identified application.

Applicant respectfully traverses the Examiner's statement because it does not accurately reflect the claim language in any one claim. Applicant respectfully asserts that each and every claim independently distinguishes over the cited references on their own merits, as delineated in the features of said claims.

In addition, Applicant respectfully traverses the Examiner's statement correlates features in the claims with elements in the drawing figures. However, the referenced features in the drawing figures are merely examples of embodiments of such features within the scope of the claims and do not limit the claims to such



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features. Applicant respectfully asserts that other embodiments and arrangements are rightly within the legal scope of the claims, as delineated by the recited features of said claims.

Respectfully submitted,
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